for futimery With the Wife of Judge Hilton as Shown by an Affectionate Correspondence-The Trial Steps Until May. When the effort of Rosalis Rutler to smesh Mrs. Cornella M. Stewart's will was started bethree days of each week in this month to the Yesterday morning, before the examination of witnesses was resumed, the lawyers debated as to when the hearings should be resumed. Joseph H. Choate, the chief assallant among the attorneys trying to prove that Judge Henry Hilton exerted undue influence upon Mrs. Stewart, asked the Surrogate to set the first three days in May for the hearings. He finished his request by saying: "I guess the other side will have had all of the case they care to hear by that time."

Roscos Conkling, who shares the honors on the other side with ex-United States District Attorney Root, ex-Supreme Court Judge Gilbert, ex-Attorney General Russell. ex-Surrogate Bollins, and ex-Supreme Court Judge Horace Russell, replied that if Mr. Choate's examination should be as long winded in May as it has been in March the Court and the witnesses would be the only ones to get tired. Surrogate Ransom said he would take up the case again on Monday. Tuesday, and Wednesday of each week in May. Eithu Root took up the examination of Ed-

ward B. Hilton, Judge Hilton's eldest son, who had been previously in Mr. Choate's grasp. When he was being cross-examined by Mr. that Mrs. Stewart had been environed by the Hilton family so that other people couldn't get at her in an intimate manner. If the testimony yesterday counted for anything it was to show that many others besides the Hiltons had access to the rich widow. The witness said, under Mr. Root's questioning, that at various times there were at her house in this city and

der Mr. Root's questioning, that at various times there were at her house in this city and at the hotel in Sarateca in 1877 and 1878 many relatives, including Mrs. J. Lawrence Smith her nices, the dangther of James Clinch. Miss Rate Smith, her grandnice and daughter of Airs. J. I. Smith: and Mrs. Frescott Hail Butler's sister Rosale is the contestant. When Mrs. Stewart was on her European trip there accompanied her Mrs. Clinch Mrs. Stewart was on her European trip there accompanied her Mrs. Clinch Mrs. Stewart was on her European trip there accompanied her Mrs. Clinch Mrs. Smith, and Charles Clinch, now dead, were Mrs. Stewart's only full blood relatives.

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Eille. The final reference to "Ellie" meant Mrs. Hilton. She lived near Mrs. Stewart, and they were in constant communication when not actually in each other's presence. To prove that and to show how dear they were to each other, twolve of Mrs. Stewart's visiting cards, on which she had written notes to Mrs. Hilton, were introduced as evidence. She used to send them to Mrs. Hilton by a servant. None of them was dated, but Mr. Hilton said that two which were black-bordered must have been written just after Mr. Stewart died. The others were probably later. Some of these notes were as follows:

as follows:

DEAR ELLIE: I do long to be with you and have a good talk, and yet I cannot feel like coming out of the house.

I know it is wrong, but I cannot belp it. I am happy to hear you are so well, and hope dear Ellie, we will have a good time together before long. With ever so much love, affectionately, M. S. love, affectionately,
My Dran Sillis: I accept with pleasure your kind invitation at dinner ou Christmas Day. With love, ever
CORNELL JOHN.
SUNDAY MORNING.

Dear Ellis: I am sorry you are still in bed. Hope on will be better to morrow. With love, ever yours meerely.

My Dras Ellis: With love.

My DEAR ELLIE: Will you give me the pleasure of your company at lunch to-day at 2 o'clock? Do come, if you can, DEAN FILTE: I am so sorry I cannot come in to see you I feet very sick to-day. Giad to know you are better.

better.

My Evan Dasa Ettis: I was so pleased and happy to receive your kind letter that I feit as if I must tell you, for I really thought you had forgotten me and was glad of my departure (and said as I often do). Thank Heaven that is over. I have been very unwell since I have been home. Am now much better.

I have never, dear Eille, told you why my home is so dear to me, but I will both tell you and show you. With coving all and kind regards to the Judge, ever yours to the state of the second of th

My DEAR ELLIE: I thank you more than I can express for the beautiful sack. It was just what I was wishing I had. You are always doing something for me, and I often wish I could do anything for you that would please you. All I can is to love you, and that I do. you. All I can is to love you, and that I do.

My Draw Ellis: I am very much vexed you are not well speugh to accompany me to inneh at Sarah's loday. It is too bad, but keep up your spirits. There is a good time coming for us yet. I hope, and then we will have lots of fun. Ever, dear Ellie, your toving the Markets.

Mrs. Stewart's letter to Bishop Littlejohn, asking him to lay the corner stone of the Garden City Cathedral in 1877, and his reply acceding to her request, were submitted in evidence.

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After Mr. Hilton had teld what he knows about those things. Mr. Cheate took him in hand again. He sought to find out about the million-dollar legacy which Judge Hilton reselved from Mr. Stewart and the receipt given for it. The book supposed to contain that paper was not in court, and is to be produced at the next sitting.

J. Henry Work, who was a subscribing witness to Mrs. Stewart's will and codicils, was examined as to Mrs. Stewart's condition at those times. He testified that she was of sound memory, mind, and body, and was under no restraint whatevor.

The case will be resumed May 7.

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NEWS OF THE BALL PLAYERS. The Brooklyn Club at Practice-A Close

Nine young men in summer bese ball attire hopped about Casey's handball court, in Brooklyn, yesterday morning, while two gentlemen wrapped in top coats directed the movements of the nine athletic gentlemen. The nine men were a part of the Brooklyn Club's players, and the others were President Byrne and Manager McGunnigle. It was the opening base ball practice of the season, and the players were getting the stiffness out of their limbs, in order, as they say, to wipe up Washington Park with a few minor clubs in the near future, and then give the Association clubs a few points in ball playing. Owing to the smallness of the court it was impossible to do more than practise at battery and handball work, but this is sufficient to reduce the weight of the men. Bobby Caruthers, the costliest ball player in the profession, and who gets about the same salary as Mike Kelly, as well as being the champion pitcher of the American Association, gave an exhibition in pitching. Bushong did not find much trouble in handling this great pitcher's curves; but Billy Holbert, not being used to him, was put on his mettle.

not being used to him, was put on his mettle. Caruthers is simply a wonder in the way in which he handled the ball. He seems somewhat stouter than when he appeared on the field last season.

Mays did some remarkably fine pitching, and so did Terry and Hughes. Terry is going to make a hummer this season, and will no doubt hold up his end with such men as Caruthers and Foutz. All the players are in the finest possible condition. Dave Orr has already worked himself down fifteen pounds and expects to work off ten pounds more of his weight. An exciting scene took place when Casey and James Donohue, a Brooklyn freman, got into a dispute as to the ability of Terry and Foutz in playing liandball. Each put up a \$5 bill in the hands of Catcher Holbert, the remaining players and the backers secured Holbert, so that he could not skip out and buy a new dog with the \$10, and when the two players went to work it was pretty hot while it lasted, but Foutz finally won by 21 to 12.

Sr. Louis, March 27.—The ball game to-day between Von der Ahe's two teams—the Browns of the American Association and the Whites of the Western League—resulted in a victory for the Browns, by a score of 2 to 1.

clinch. William Smith received a residence in Thirty-fifth street. The conveyances were clawn by Mr. Hilton. He also, in 1876, delivered letters giving annuities bestowed by Mrs. Stewart of \$10,000 each to Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Stewart of \$10,000 each to Mrs. Smith. Mrs. Butler, and the Misses Clinch. After he had given the letters to these persons and told Mrs. Stewart he had done so, she remarked: "Well. they ought to be satisfied now."

More testimony was given to show that others besides Judge Hilton had been near Mrs. Stewart Mrs. Wetherell, when she was Kitty Smith, lived with Mrs. Stewart from Mr. Stewart's death until she was married in 1879. Cornella Smith, now Mrs. Butler, also had lived with Mrs. Stewart for a long time. When Mr. Shewart for a long time. When Mr. Shewart travelled to Europe in 1867, she went with them. Upon her marriage to Mr. Butler, Mrs. Stewart paid the cost of the wedding, and gave the bride \$10,000 for a marriage present.

And next the great question of interest to Mr. Choate was brought out—the subject of Judge Hilton's intimacy with Mrs. Stewart and Banker, and Mrs. Stewart were cousins. Mrs. Stewart used to like to talk about him, how. after her father had died, and when she was a little girl, she passed much of her time at Mr. Stewart and Judge Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, his wife and

ciubs consisting of plavers under 15 years. M. Oppenheimer, 357 East Seventy-eighth street, general manager.

Dermoir, March 27.—Von der Ah is at his wit's end, devising schemes to entice the Detroits to coment to have the series arranged for next month count as championship, instead of exhibition games. He conceals the real purpose of this proposition with the representation that people in the towns where the clubs are advertised to play expect to see championship rames and that if the games are simply exhibition games it will be a pecuniary loss to both clubs, and Watkins has been instructed not to play the games if Yon der Ahe Insists.

"Reach's Base Ball Guide" will be for sale in a few days. It is the neatest thing of its kind ever issued. Among other things it contains the contests between clubs of the American Association and National League for the championship of the world from the first game played between St. Louis and Detroit nortraits and sketches of the players and officers of the Detroit and St. Louis clubs, the official record of all games played in the American Association. In National League, the International Association. Southern League, Western League, Northwestern League, New Ingiand League, of the State League, Chicago City League, and the college associations together with the batting and fielding averages of the players taking part during the season of 1867.

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wife and sons. The first was black-bordered, and had been written to Edward B. Hilton, the witness. It runs in this way:

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Good-by, dear Edward, and believe the ever sincerely your friend.

Another one was to Judge Hilton. It was handed to him when Mrs. Stewart was going abroad in 1876, and was inscribed:

Judge II. Hilton.

Not to be opened till I have gone away.

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Brooklyn's Rich Stake.

The Brooklyn Jackey Club, determined to keep pace with liberal premiums offered by other rich racing associations, announces a new guaranteed stake of \$20,000, the conditions of which are:

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The Great American States, for two-year-olds, foals of 1887; a sweepstakes of \$50 each for horses entered as yearlings by April 25, 1888 or \$20 if dectared out by Aug. In 1888; for horses entered as two-year-olds by Jan. I. 1888, when the stakes will close, \$100 each, or \$50 if dectared out by May I. 1889; starters to pay \$250 additional. The club to add \$5,000, and to guarantee that the stakes shall be worth \$20,000. The second horse will receive \$1,500, and the third horse \$500 of the added money. Any excess over \$20,000 will be divided as followed as a second borse of the second horse, and 20 per cent. to the nominator of the second horse, and 20 per cent to the nominator of the third horse. By filing with the Brooklyn Jockey Club prior to Aug. In, 1888; an accepted transfer of the yearing entry, the nominator will be released from all liability except the first deciaration fee of \$20 leaving the purchaser liable for the engagement. In the event of the death of the nominator of transferse before the race the engagement shall not be void provided it be assumed, and all liabilities for it he paid by the then owner of the horse, who shall thereupon become entitled to all rights of the original numinator. To be run at the spring usesting look, twe furtions.

Rocing in England.

London, March 27.-The Nottingham spring LONDON, March 27.—The Nottingham spring handicap of 350 sovereigns for three-year-olds and upward distance about one mile, was run at Nottingham to-day. The race was wen by a length and a haif by W. J. Legh's four-year-old bay coit veractiv, by Wisdom, out of Varnish. J. T. Whipp's six-year-old brown gelding Tomny Tittlemouse was second, a length and a half ahead of J. Hammond's five-year-old bay gelding Ripon, third. There were six starters.

Sperting Notes.

Tesmer, McKay, and Hamm will row a three-mile straightaway race in front of Jacksonville, Fla., within two weeks.

Queen Victoria delights in aquatic sports. She has donated a cup of the value of £105, to be competed for at Ryds. Isls of Wight.

In a contest between lathers at Wilmington recently, James Walton put in 1,03% lath in a hours 28 minutes, beating Harry Cline and James Stone.

E. W. Sheldon of the Cleveland Gun Club heat Al San. R. E. Sheldon of the Cleveland Gun Club beat Al. Ban-dle of Uncinnati in a fifty-blackbird match for the championship of Ohio on March 22. Score shelden, 55; Handle 20.

championship of Ohio on March 23. Score Sheiden, 43; Handle, 29.

Frank Herdick, the betting man of Pittsburgh, speaking about John Splane a offer to maint Chingstone against Frince Wilkes asys: "I know that Chingstone against Frince Wilkes will beat horse, but I am of opinion that Prince Wilkes will beat anything on earth this year in a trotting race. My money goes with my opinion every time."

J. S. Harriman, the old-time walking champion, offers the safe bet of \$1,000 that Messier, who claims to have walked eleven miles in one hour in Missouri, cannot repeat the performance. Harriman also offers to bet that Messier cannot run ien miles in an hour, or he will walk Messier any distance for any amount of money.

Interest is growing in the National Stallion Stakes to be trotted for on California next fail. The full entries and records are: Guy Wilkes 2104, by George Wilkes: Pale Aito. 2:204, by Electioneer; Renford, 2:24 by Flectioneer; Woodnut, 2:104, by Nutwood: Stamboul, 2:174, by Sultan, Direction. 2:17, by Dictator, and Antevolo. 2:105, by Electioneer.

They Stole Paster McRossey's Books. Burglars robbed the Methodist church of Cerona on Monday night of several hundred books be-enging to the Rev. Mr. McRossey, besides other articles.

The Ones to Get. Get Allooch's Perous Piasters, they Will drive your aches and pales away, as one and all who use them say.—As-

The Syndlenie and the Company Part-Both of Them Satisfied. The following correspondence will doubtless surprise the people, and there are a good predicting a row between the Baltimore and

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As the lasue of the Brothers with certified copies of the resolutions of the Broad of Directors and of the Finance Committee authorizing the same.

As the lasue of the preferred stock failed, in consequence of the action of the stockholders, it gives me pleasure to confirm our understanding that this agreement is entirely acceptable to the syndicate as in full satisfaction of all claims under the original arrangement of August last and that all matters between the infactority disposad of. With Services Prediction of the Schirod Company.

S. Spencer, Eng., President Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

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Expenser, Enq. President Battimere and Ohio Ratirond Company.

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This means that the financial reorganization of the railroad has been accomplished within about seven months, and with the atmosphere of Wall street anything but favorable to such operations. The event ought not to be without effect upon those who are skeptical of the outcome of the pending financiering of the Philadelphia and Reading Company.

DEALT IN BAD NICKELS.

Respectable Mr. Walker Convicted of Get-ting His Pocket Money that Way.

In the United States Circuit Court yesterday James T. Walker, a gentlemanly looking man, was put on trial for paiming off spurious nickel coins upon small shopkeepers. Beside nickel coins upon small shopkeepers. Beside him sat his wife, a handsome, middle-aged woman, dressed in a brocaded velvet dress, seal-skin sacque, and wearing a hat of green velvet, set off with a bird of brilliant plumage. She keeps a big boarding house at 14 and 16 Willow street. Brooklyn. Before her marriage to Waiker she was Mrs. Belle Davison, and the prisoner's first wife was the daughter of a produce broker of this city. Waiker's peculiarities led his first wife to begin divorce proceedings, which opened by Waiker's peculiarities led his first wife to begin divorce proceedings, which opened by Waiker's peculiarities led his first wife to begin divorce proceedings, which opened by Waiker's peculiarities led his first wife to begin divorce proceedings, which opened by Waiker's hooting at Foster L. Backus, who was her lawyer. The divorce was granted more than six years ago, and Waiker aimest immediately married Mrs. Davison. Since then he has done little except help run the boarding house. On Feb. 13 he was arrested by Policeman Doyle of the Thirty-seventh street station for passing bad five-cent coins on shopkeepers in Tenth avenue. He said then that his name was James Watson. At the trial yesterday the evidence against him was conclusive. Ex-Mayor Whitney and several of Mrs. Waiker's boarders—business men of this city—testified to the prisoner's previous good character.

The jury found Waiker guilty, and he was sent to Ludlow street jail to await sentence. him sat his wife, a handsome, middle-aged wo

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New York Stock Exchange-Sales March 27. UNITED STATES AND STATE BONDS (IN \$1,000s). UNITED STATES AND STATE ROSIDS (IN \$1,000s).

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The predominant influence in to-day's stock market was the course of Reading. The causes affecting that stock are, unfortunately, not so patent to many as its effect upon the current of speculation. The professional depreciators of other people's property claim, however, that the reasons for the decline are obvious. They urge with great persistency that the company's business has gone to pieces in consequence of the strike; that it cannot dispose of its new general mortgage bonds except at a great sacrifice; that the fixed charges upon some termi-

sideration were it not for the publicity given to them. As to the company's business it unquestionably has suffered in consequence of the strike. The returns for February, printed below, show this conclusively. For the first three months of the fiscal year the decrease in net earnings, as compared with the previous year, was \$1,229,413. But it is not reasonable to suppose that this ratio of decrease will be continued. During two of the three months the business of the company was at a standstill, while it was demonstrating its ability to retain the management of its own affairs. As the consumption of anthracite coal thus far this year has been fully up to the unusual figures of last year, and the average of prices is a shade better, the assumption seems reasonable that the Reading Company will soon, if it has not already regain its ground, so far as earnings are concerned. Assuming, as a Philadelphia authority upon Reading affairs does, that a further small loss in net earnings will be recorded for the current month, making the total decrease for the first four months of the fiscal year \$1,400,000, and

in net earnings will be recorded for the current month, making the total decrease for the current month, making the total decrease for the current four month of the flead year, the result for the year would be \$11.384.055. a sum considerably in excess of the fixed charges under the reorganization.

So far as the marketing of the new general mortgage 4 \$\frac{\pi}{2}\$ can bonds of the company are concerned, a prediction as to their negotiability from the people who have successfully reorganized the company would be of value of the company are discovered that the proposition of the proposition of

Sterling exchange firm and in fair demand at unchanged quotations. Actual rates were \$4.85%@\$4.86 for long bills and \$4.87%@\$4.87% for demand. The engagement of \$300,000 specie for shipment to Europe is reported. The reason for this engagement is not clear, unless it is in anti-pation of an immediate and sharp advance in the price of sterling. In bank stocks, ten shares of Continental sold at 125, eight shares of Fourth National at 136%, and twenty-five shares of Phenix at 136%.

In the Unlisted Department the sales of National Transit certificates, crude petroleum, were 501,000 barrels at 91% to 90, closing at the lower figure. The sales of American Cotton Oil Trusts were 2,565 shares at 28 to 26%, closing at 26%. Other transactions were Mexican National firsts, trust certificates, at 42%; Toledo and Ann Arbor. 70 shares, at 22, and St. Paul, Eastern and Grand Trunk firsts, \$2,000, at 97. The exports, exclusive of specie, from this port for the week ending to-day were unusually small, being \$3.784,360. The shipments of east-bound freight from Chicago last week were 56,829 tons, against 72,423 tons the corresponding week last year.

The New York and New England Railroad Company has declared a dividend of 3½ 7 cent, upon its preferred stock, payable May 1.

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The statement of the Philadelphia and Reading Raiiroad and Coal and Iron Companies for February, 1888, as compared with the same month in 1887, shows a decrease in gross carnings of \$1,246,476; a decrease in expenses of \$738,726, and a decrease in expenses of \$738,726, and a decrease in externings of \$507,750. The statement for the three months ending Feb. 29, 1888, as compared with the same period in 1887, shows a decrease in gross earnings of \$2,222,140; a decrease in expenses of \$992,727, and a decrease in net earnings of \$1,229,418.

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The Treasury balances are a trifle larger. Gold #arch 26. March 27. \$216,722,680 \$216,00,861 Legal tenders 23,744,708 23,888,687 Money in London 1% to 1% F cent. Discount in the open market 1% F cent. for short bills and 1% F cent. for three months. The amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day is £111.000.

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Paris advices quote 3 % cents at 82,07%. The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows an increase in specie of 400,000 marks. New York Markets.

THE SUN, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1888. Special Favours.

FINEST VIRGINIA AND TURKISH LEAF. TRANSPARENT RICE PAPER.

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rifice; that the fixed charges upon some terminal property which it is proposed to acquire and develop in Philadelphia will weigh the company down, and, finally, that the stock is worthless on general principles.

The arguments would deserve but little con-STRAIGHT

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Court Calendars This Day. SUPREME COURT-SPECIAL TERM.—Part I.— Nos. 494, 425, 602, 612, 465, 407, 375, 66. In consequence of the burial of Chief Justice Walte to-day all the other courts have adjourned over.

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ALLIN.—On Monday, March 20, Mary B. Allin, widow of George Allin, in the Tist year of her age. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services at her late residence, 189 Congress at, Brooklyn, to-day at 11 A. M. AUCHINCLOSS.—At 4 West 49th st., New York, on Monday, March 25, of seariet fever, John Winthrop Auchincloss, Jr., twin son of John W. and Joanna Russell Auchincloss, aged 1 year and 0 months. Funeral private. It is kindly requested that no flowers be sent. Funeral private. It is kindly requested that no nowers be sent.

BLAKE.—At Stapleton. S. I., March 24, of diphtheria, laabella, only child of Charles S. and Amelia Blake, ared 4 years and 9 months.

Funeral private.

Cl.LAK.—The members of the Oriental Shume Board Clob are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of our late President, Michael W. Clear, at his late residence, 26 Montgoinery at, on Thurrday, 20th insit, at 1 o'clock F. M. CONWAY.—Alvina Conway, 163 West 02d at.

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Funeral from his aire residence 108 East 69th st., to-day at 10 A. M. Kindly omit flowers.

DITMAN.—On Monday, March 20, at 4 A. M., Joseph W. Braul.

The Triends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral to-day at 11 A. M. precisely, from the Church of the Transfiguration. Elis at lear to the average of the second of the family are respectfully requested that no dowers leavely. — It is respectfully requested that no dowers have 20 cd diphtheria, Lewis McM., Puneral private, from 603 Walton av. ForteR.—On Monday, March 20, of diphtheria, Lewis McM., ForteR.—On Monday, March 20, of diphtheria, Lewis McM., ForteR.—On Monday, March 20, of diphtheria, Lewis McM., ForteR.—On Monday, March 20, of diphtheria, Lewis McM. months. Funeral private, from 633 Walton av. FOSTER.—On Monday, March 26, Caleb T. Foster, in

FORTER.—On Monual, March 1887 agents his 81d year.
Relatives, friends, and members of the Old Guard are respectfully invited to attend the funeral servicer at his late residence, 170 Willis av, between 135th and 138th lat, this evening at 8 o'clock. Please omit flowers.
FRANCIS.—Suddenly, on Monday, March 26, Jessie A. Francis. FRANCIS.—Suddenly, on Monday, March 20, Jessie A. Funcis.
Funcral services to-day at 5:20 P. M., at the residence of her brother in law, H. C. Webb, 105 President at., Brooklyn. Interment at Pittsheld, Mass.
Pittsheld papers piesse cony.
FREY.—On Sunday, March 25, at 9:20 A. M., Samuel

Frey. Helatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence. 4.7 East 85th st. to day at 1 o'close ? M. Lill. — In Brooklyn. March 25, Mathias, beloved hus band of Catherine Gill, native of county Longtond, freedom and March 25. band of Catherine Gill, native of county Longtord, tre-land, aged 80 years.

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KELLO910.—Sundaely, after a lingering illness. Edmund James Reliogs, son of the late Joseph W. Kellogg, in the Stein year of he age.
In the Convenience of the family.
KELLY.—On Monday, March 26, Bridget Kelly, widow of Lawrence Kelly, native of Kings county, parish of Egils, Ireland.
Funeral from her late residence, 32 2d av., to-day at 2 P. M.
LANGE.—On March 26, at 2 P. M. Wm. H. Lange of Dobbs Ferry, at his late residence, 2 207 2d av., Harism.
MAPELDEN.—On Sunday, March 25, after a short liness, Reuben Mapelsden, in the 74th year of his age.
Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 2 Strong place, Brooklyn, to-day at 2.30 P. M. Kindly omit flowers.
MILLER.—On Monday, March 26, Mrs. Catharine Miller, aged of years.

the funeral from his site residence, 2 Birong place, B. Millike.—On Monday, March 28, Mrs. Catharine Miller, aged 64 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 56 Horatio at. to-day at 2 P. M.

MONTGOMERY.—Major Montgomery, aged 78 years.
Funeral services to-day at 1 P. M., at the residence of his son, 210 East 30th at.

OXLEY.—On March 28, Henry Oxley, in his 58th year.
Relatives and friends and the officers and brothers of Aliantic Lodge, 50t, 1.0.0, F., are respectfully invited to Aliantic Lodge, 50t, 1.0.0, F., are respectfully invited to Aliantic Lodge, 50t, 1.0.0, F., are respectfully invited to Aliantic Lodge, 50t, 1.0.0, F., are respectfully invited to the National Rod and Reel Association are notified that Harry Frichard departed this life on Sunday, 25th inst., after a short illness.

The allowe are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at his daughter's residence, 820 March 28, 1879.

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YOUNG.—At Sandy Hill, N. Y., on March 28, Mary
Young, in the 87th year of her age.
Association of Examp Figure.—The members of the
above association are hereby notified to meet at 34
Beach at on Thursday at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose
of paying the last tribute of respect to our decessed
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In the light of such facts it is evident that unless the stockholders at once take the control of affairs into their own hands, in the manner provided by law, the company may become seriously embarrassed. The property should be managed by an experienced practical railroad man of recognized ability, sided by an efficient Board of Directors.

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